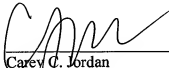


As this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement transmitted herewith is being filed before the mailing date of the first Non-Final Office Action on the merits after a request for continued examination, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), Applicants believe that there are no fees due at this time. Should the Commissioner deem that any fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, Applicants respectfully request that the Commissioner accept this as a Petition Therefor, and direct that any additional fees be charged to Baker Botts, L.L.P.'s Deposit Account No. 02-0383, Order Number 063718.1357.

Respectfully submitted,

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